

McDonald County Commission—Minutes

March 20, 2013

Present:

Keith Lindquist- Presiding Commissioner

John Bunch- Eastern Commissioner

David Holloway- Western Commissioner

Barbara Williams- County Clerk

GENERAL BUSINESS

Commission met with Mr. Johnnie Fitts at his request. Mr. Fitts requested the Commission remove the Library Board members due to his belief they had violated the Constitution by posting the "No Concealed Weapons Allowed" sign at the door of the library. Commission reminded Mr. Fitts that the Commission believes they have no power over the library & therefore he would have to deal directly with the Library Board. Ms. Carrie Cline was invited to be present as the meeting continued & she came from the Library to answer any questions needed. Ms. Cline stated she had checked with legal resources & other larger libraries & they had all agreed that it was within the Library's power to post what they deemed appropriate.

Mr. Fitts continued to state he felt the Commission had the power & responsibility to act. Commissioner Bunch questioned Mr. Fitts on some recent flyers that are being circulated that say the Commission stated they are planning on placing the USE tax on the ballot. Commission all stated nothing like that had been said or even discussed. Mr. Fitts disagreed & said he is the one circulating the flyers. Commission wanted to make it clear that they are not now or had not planned on placing the issue on the ballot.

Commissioner Lindquist received a phone call from DNR Representative Mr. Harwood. Commissioner Lindquist had repeatedly attempted to reach him for assistance with a problem area on Candy Lane. Mr. Harwood gave commissioner Lindquist some guidelines & said as soon as the procedures are followed he will make sure someone comes to McDonald County & looks into the serious problems that have been an issue for over 4 years. Commissioner Lindquist then contacted the Health Department to get the required procedure implemented so that there can be some actual progress on the site.

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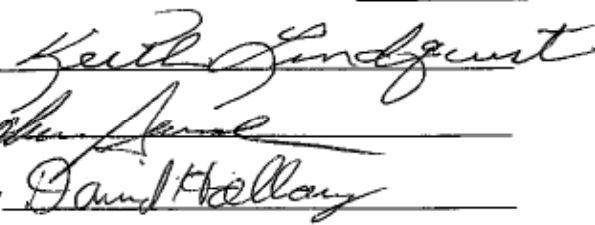
Commission will reconvene on March 25th, 2013

SIGNATURES

Keith Lindquist

John Bunch

David Holloway

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